

# Farm Facts

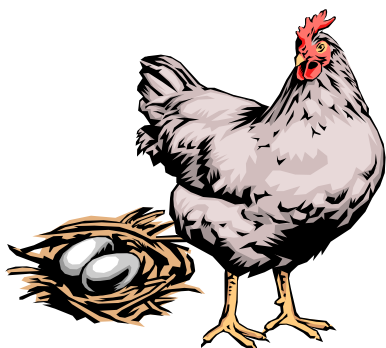
## For

# South Carolina

### THIS ISSUE'S HIGHLIGHTS

- Broiler Hatchery Production
- Chicken and Egg Production
- Cotton County Estimates

- Grain Stocks
- Hay County Estimates
- June Crop Acreage



### CHICKEN AND EGG PRODUCTION

SOUTH CAROLINA'S laying flocks produced 100 million eggs during May, up 12 percent from a year ago. Production totaled 76 million table eggs and 24 million hatching eggs. The number of layers averaged 4,446,000 birds, up 7 percent from 4,160,000 a year ago. May egg production per 100 layers was 2,249 eggs, compared to 2,139 in 2010.

UNITED STATES egg production totaled 7.78 billion during May 2011, up 1 percent from last year. Production included 6.67 billion table eggs, and 1.11 billion hatching eggs, of which 1.04 billion were broiler-type and 72 million were egg-type. The total number of layers during May 2011 averaged 338 million, down slightly from last year. May egg production per 100 layers was 2,302 eggs, up 1 percent from May 1, 2010.

#### Average Layers, and Egg Production, Selected States, and U.S., May, 2011

Selected States	Average No. of Layers	Eggs Produced	Eggs per 100 Layers
	Thousand	Million	Number
Alabama	9,483	180	1,898
Florida	9,534	220	2,308
Georgia	16,382	351	2,143
North Carolina	13,734	291	2,119
<b>South Carolina</b>	<b>4,446</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2,249</b>
United States	337,945	7,779	2,302

### BROILER HATCHERY PRODUCTION

During the month of May, SOUTH CAROLINA'S broiler hatcheries produced 19.53 million chicks, down 5 percent from last year's 20.55 million chicks.

The UNITED STATES broiler-type chicks hatched during May 2011 totaled 807 million, up 1 percent from May 2010. Eggs in incubators totaled 642 million on June 1, 2011, down 2 percent from a year earlier.

#### CHICKS HATCHED by Type, South Carolina and U.S., May, 2011

Flock Type and Area	May 2011	Jan-May 2011
	Thousand	
<i>Broiler Type:</i>		
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>	<b>19,528</b>	<b>95,938</b>
United States	806,574	3,870,237
<i>Egg Type:</i>		
United States	43,305	209,410

### GRAIN STOCKS

**CORN** stocks stored in off-farm facilities in SOUTH CAROLINA on June 1 totaled 2.07 million bushels, down 16 percent from last June's off-farm stocks. **ALL WHEAT** stocks stored in off-farm facilities on June 1 totaled 377 thousand bushels.

#### S.C. GRAIN STOCKS, June 1, 2011

Grain	On-Farm	Off-Farm 1/	Total Stocks
	----- Thousand Bushels -----		
Soybeans	*	*	*
All Wheat	*	377	*
Corn	*	2,065	*
Oats	*	*	*

#### U.S. GRAIN STOCKS, June 1, 2011

Grain	On-Farm	Off-Farm	Total Stocks
	----- Thousand Bushels -----		
Soybeans	217,700	401,382	619,082
All Wheat	130,915	729,866	860,781
Corn	1,681,500	1,988,654	3,670,154
Oats	14,580	53,025	67,605

\* "Off farms unallocated" includes State data not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations; "on farms unallocated" includes minor producing States' data not published separately. 1/ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors.

## POULTRY SLAUGHTER

The Preliminary total live weight of poultry inspected during May 2011 was 5.01 billion pounds, up 8 percent from 4.66 billion pounds a year ago. Young chickens inspected totaled 4.31 billion pounds, up 7 percent from May 2010. Mature chickens, at 70.5 million pounds, were up 10 percent from the previous year. Young chickens slaughtered during May 2011 averaged 5.81 pounds per bird, up 2 percent from May 2010.

### YOUNG CHICKENS SLAUGHTERED: Number, Live Weight, and Average Live Weight, Pounds Certified, Post-Mortem Condemnations, Selected States and United States, May 2011

Selected States	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight	Average Live Weight	Total Chilled and Frozen Pounds Certified 1/	Post-Mortem Condemnations	
					Carcass and Parts	Percent 2/
	Thou.	Thou. Lbs	Pounds	Thou. Lbs		Percent
Alabama	90,041	506,674	5.63	380,634	3,099	0.81
Georgia	106,967	583,910	5.46	444,525	3,118	0.70
North Carolina	62,772	451,141	7.19	353,678	3,744	1.05
<b>South Carolina</b>	23,597	162,913	6.90	122,754	785	0.64
<b>United States</b>	741,199	4,307,604	5.81	3,234,472	26,268	0.81

1/ Ready-to-cook weights. 2/ Pounds condemned as percent of pounds certified plus post-mortem condemnations.

## LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER

### COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION: Selected States, and United States June 2011 1/

Selected States	May 2010	April 2011	May 2011	May 2011 as % of 2010
	Million Pounds			Percent
Florida	9.7	9.6	9.6	99
Georgia	9.5	9.9	9.1	96
Kansas	416.4	425.3	437.8	105
Nebraska	547.1	540.8	564.9	103
North Carolina	176.9	191.7	197.3	112
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>	20.3	20.4	19.6	96
Texas	422.8	412.2	438.7	104
<b>UNITED STATES</b>	3,731.2	3,868.6	3,914.3	105

1/ Includes total beef, veal, pork, lamb, and mutton. 2/ Percentages based on unrounded data.

### COMMERCIAL RED MEAT PRODUCTION: United States, June, 2011 1/

Class	May 2010	April 2011	May 2011	May 2011 % of	
				May 2010	April 2011
	----- Million Pounds -----			----- Percent -----	
Beef	2,087.2	2,053.0	2,131.4	102	104
Veal	10.1	10.2	10.3	102	101
Pork	1,621.3	1,791.0	1,759.7	109	98
Lamb and Mutton	12.6	14.3	12.9	102	90
Total Red Meat 2/	3,731.2	3,868.6	3,914.3	105	101

1/ Based on packers' dressed weights and excludes farm slaughter. 2/ Totals may not equal sum of the parts due to rounding.

# COTTON

## Acreage, Yield, and Production, by District and County, South Carolina, 2009 and 2010

County *	Acres Planted		Acres Harvested		Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Bales</i>	<i>Bales</i>
Anderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Northwest (10)</b>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chester	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Kershaw	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
York	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>North Central (20)</b>	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chesterfield	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Darlington	13,100	19,300	12,900	19,300	927	933	24,900	37,500
Dillon	9,800	11,100	9,800	11,100	828	809	16,900	18,700
Florence	3,200	8,300	3,200	8,300	690	867	4,600	15,000
Georgetown	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Horry	*	3,000	*	3,000	*	832	*	5,200
Marion	1,700	2,900	1,700	2,900	762	993	2,700	6,000
Marlboro	14,500	18,900	14,500	18,800	990	776	29,900	30,400
Williamsburg	3,000	14,900	2,900	14,800	1,026	950	6,200	29,300
Other Counties	800	2,300	800	2,300	780	877	1,300	4,200
<b>Eastern (30)</b>	<b>46,100</b>	<b>80,700</b>	<b>45,800</b>	<b>80,500</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>86,500</b>	<b>146,300</b>
Aiken	*	2,800	*	2,800	*	823	*	4,800
Newberry	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Saluda	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	*	1,800	*	1,800	*	533	*	2,000
<b>West Central (40)</b>	<b>3,800</b>	<b>4,600</b>	<b>3,800</b>	<b>4,600</b>	<b>594</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>4,700</b>	<b>6,800</b>
Calhoun	17,000	20,300	16,800	20,200	937	948	32,800	39,900
Clarendon	1,300	6,900	1,300	6,900	702	953	1,900	13,700
Lee	6,100	11,400	6,000	11,400	888	998	11,100	23,700
Lexington	2,400	*	2,300	*	668	*	3,200	*
Orangeburg	13,100	28,800	12,900	28,700	882	948	23,700	56,700
Richland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sumter	1,200	3,000	1,200	2,900	880	960	2,200	5,800
Other Counties	*	4,000	*	4,000	*	984	*	8,200
<b>Central (50)</b>	<b>41,100</b>	<b>74,400</b>	<b>40,500</b>	<b>74,100</b>	<b>888</b>	<b>959</b>	<b>74,900</b>	<b>148,000</b>
Allendale	*	2,800	*	2,800	*	874	*	5,100
Bamberg	4,500	6,900	4,400	6,900	829	932	7,600	13,400
Barnwell	3,300	5,200	3,300	5,200	858	1,015	5,900	11,000
Berkeley	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Colleton	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dorchester	3,600	6,100	3,600	6,100	800	834	6,000	10,600
Hampton	6,400	12,100	6,400	12,000	923	820	12,300	20,500
Jasper	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	2,800	4,100	2,800	4,000	720	888	4,200	7,400
<b>Southern (80)</b>	<b>20,600</b>	<b>37,200</b>	<b>20,500</b>	<b>37,000</b>	<b>843</b>	<b>882</b>	<b>36,000</b>	<b>68,000</b>
<b>Other Counties</b>	<b>3,400</b>	<b>5,100</b>	<b>3,400</b>	<b>4,800</b>	<b>692</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>4,900</b>	<b>6,900</b>
<b>State Total</b>	<b>115,000</b>	<b>202,000</b>	<b>114,000</b>	<b>201,000</b>	<b>872</b>	<b>898</b>	<b>207,000</b>	<b>376,000</b>

\*Included in other counties; not published separately due to established agency confidentiality guidelines.

## CROP PRODUCTION

### CROPS: Planted and Harvested Acreage, Yield and Production, SOUTH CAROLINA and UNITED STATES, as of July 1, 2011

Crop	Planted Acres (000)		Harvested Acres (000)		Yield per Harvested Acres		Total Production (000)	
	2010	Indicated 2011	2010	Indicated 2011	2010	Indicated 2011	2010	Indicated 2011
<b>SOUTH CAROLINA</b>								
Corn for Grain.....Bu.	350	360	335	340	91.0	--	30,485	--
Cotton, All.....Lb. & Bales	202.0	270.0	201.0	--	898	--	376.0	--
Cotton, Upland.....Lb. & Bales	202.0	270.0	201.0	--	898	--	376.0	--
Hay, All.....Ton	--	--	360	390	2.00	--	720	--
Oats.....Bu.	26	22	13	15	47.0	--	611	--
Peanuts for Nuts.....Lb.	67.0	70.0	64.0	66.0	3,400	--	217,600	--
Soybeans for Beans.....Bu.	465	400	455	390	23.0	--	10,465	--
Tobacco, Flue-Cured.....Lb.	--	--	16.0	14.5	2,250	--	36,000	--
Tobacco, All.....Lb.	--	--	16.0	14.5	2,250	--	36,000	--
Wheat, Winter.....Bu.	145	200	130	190	36.0	59.0	4,680	11,210
<b>UNITED STATES</b>								
Corn for Grain.....Bu.	88,192	92,282	81,446	84,888	152.8	--	12,446,865	--
Cotton, All.....Lb. & Bales	10,974.2	13,725	10,698.7	--	812	--	18,104.1	--
Cotton, Upland.....Lb. & Bales	10,770.0	13,436.0	10,497.0	--	805	--	17,600.0	--
Hay, All.....Ton	--	--	59,862	57,605	2.43	--	145,556	--
Oats.....Bu.	3,138	2,587	1,263	934	64.3	60.5	81,190	56,551
Peanuts for Nuts.....Lb.	1,288.0	1,152.0	1,255.0	1,122.0	3,311	--	4,155,600	--
Soybeans for Beans.....Bu.	77,404	75,208	76,616	74,258	43.5	--	3,329,341	--
Tobacco, Flue-Cured.....Lb.	--	--	210.9	216.0	2,143	--	451,860	--
Tobacco, All.....Lb.	--	--	337.5	336.1	2,130	--	718,883	--
Wheat, Winter.....Bu.	37,335	41,108	31,749	32,307	46.8	46.2	1,485,236	1,491,739

PRSR STD.  
Postage & Fees Paid  
USDA  
Permit No. G-38

USDA-NASS  
SOUTH CAROLINA FIELD OFFICE  
P.O. BOX 8, Columbia, S.C. 29201-1911  
Official Business  
Address Service Requested